NEXT STATE MUNYON'S CONVENTION

Richmond Has Taken No Active Step to Secure Great Meeting of Democrats.

COMMITTEE MEETS SOON

Will Dispose of Norfolk Contest and Arrange for Convention at Meeting.

The subcommittee of the State Central Democratic Committee intrusted with the the election of the City Democratic Committee of Norfolk last autumn will reconvene in that city on Tuesday to complete the taking of depositions. Al ready a large number of witnesses for the contesiants, popularly known as the Trehy faction/ have testified and been subjected to cross-examination, their testimony developing some rather startling disclosures. Now it only remains for the contestees to put on their witnesses. of whom it is said there are not a great

of whom it is said there are not a great many.

It is hoped that the work of taking the testimony may be completed by the end of the week, and that the subcommittee will formulate its report as soon therewill formulate its report as soon therewill formulate its report as soon therewill formulate its report as soon the failer of the case will be voluminous. The expenses of the subcommittee and of the taking of testimony will be borne jointly by contestants and contestees. It is probable that the subcommittee will be ready to report early in April, in which event State Chairman fullyson will convoke the full committee, for the double purpose of acting on this report and of arranging for the coming State conventide of the party.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

The State Committee will have to fix the date and place of the convention and the basis of representation therein. Richmond has made no organized, active effort to secure the convention. Norfolk, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Danville and other places desire it. What city will 'get it will depend somewhat upon the basis of one delegate for every one hundred votes cast by the party, the membership of the convention would be twelve or thirteen hundred. This has been the basis of the last two conventions, but there is take of made on geng friends of rival candidates in state and congressional primaries request the religion of rival candidates in state and congressional primaries request the refinds to serve without pay, instead of providing remaneration. Being friends of rival candidates, they would keep a close check upon each other and thereby minimize the possibility of fraud.

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The Federation of Labor will meet in annual session in Norfolk on the first the basis of those to entertain and be vigiliant for those who are delegates.

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FIRST FOR THREE YEARS.

The convention will be the first assembling of the Virginia Democracy since that of 1991 in Norfolk, and will be in many respects one of the most important held in many years. The party is to be reorganized and upon this depends control of the State Committee for the en-

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ject of discussion, possibly of amendment is in contemplation no one who knows will state, but there are vague suspicions that the opponents of the present primary plan will make an priort to amend it in saveral respects.

Bishop Van de Vyver Preaches Sermon on "Mixed Marriages."

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BEGINNING OF HOLY WEEK

Building to be Erected for Rail road Y. M. C. A.—East End Decides on New Building.

Holy Week began with the celebration of Palm Sunday in the Catholic and Episcopal churches. Palms were blessed Episcopai churches. Palms were blessed in all of the Catholic churches, and were distributed among the people. In the majority of cases, the congressations rose and passed up to the altar, where they received the palm branch. The scene at the Cathedral was a striking one. The attendance was very large, and the alsies were filled with the slowly moving people, who passed up the middle to the altar, and thence back along both sides to their seats. The distribution was made just before the late mass. Services followed, and the long gospel, during which the people stand, was read. At hight Bishop Van de Vyver preached the last of his series of Lentenisermons. His subject was "Matrimony" again, and the sermon was particularly directed against mixed marriages—that is to say, tharriages between Catholics and Protestants. During the remainder of Holy Week the season will be one of great selemnity in the churches, and notably St. Paul's where the singing will be magnificent, have arranged special musical services for Good Friday night. The Tenebrae will be sung on the evenings of Holy Thursday and Good Friday at the Cathedral. The other Catholic services of Holy Week will be very elaborate and very solemn, and, as is always the case, will be attended by large conseregations.

Building for Railroad Y. M. C. A. in all of the Catholic churches, and /were It in several respects.

The viva voce feature is one that may be stricken out, and the provision placing the expense of candidacy upon the aspirant for office will be antagonized. It has been suggested that the candidates in State and congressional primaries request their friends to serve without pay, instead of providing remeneration. Being friends of rival candidates, they would keep a close check upon each other and thereby minimize the possibility of fraud.

Building for Railroad Y. M. C. A

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The early future will in all probability witness the brection in the Bast End of a handsome and well-equipped building for the great and growing Railroad Y. M. C. A. that has been built up through the colorgy and ability of Secretary Thomas, supported by the sympathy of the officials of the Seaboard Air Line and Chesapsake and Ohio Railways. The site for the building will be on the vacant lot just west of the Main Street Station. The Association has grown rapidly, and it is absolutely essential that new and large quarters he secured. The membership is now 715, over 150 having been added within the last tew weeks. A great meeting was held at the station on Sunday arternoon. There was an old-time testimony service and the Dailey Quartette sang several times to the great pleasure of the audience.

Duty of Citizenship.

At the West End Christian Church Sunday night the paster, the Rev. Henry Pearce Aikins, preached on the subject "Christian Citizenship." The attendance was large and the sermon strong and excellent in every respect. Mr. Atkins said in parti.

The delegates thus far from this digare: Richimond Typographical Union, No. 20, Daniel McCallum, M. R. Race; Central Trade and Labor, Council, John J. Powell, J. V. Rudd, E. W. Blakey, L. C. Perkins and J. C. Bradley. AMHERST FARMERS ENDORSE MR. KOINER'S GOOD WORK MR. KOINER'S GOOD WORK
The farmers of Amherst, at the Institute held in that county last week by
Commissioner Kolner, were unanimous in
a expressing themselves as approving most
theartily the work of that officer.
The meeting recognized, by formal action, the value of the "educational and
beneficial work his department is doing
iforr the agricultural, interests, of the
State, and endorsed the commissioner as
a faithful and watchful officer, entitied to the encouragement and support
to of the farmers of the State.

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The Christian citizen should keep well posted on the governmental affairs of the cry, the State the nation. Nothing will please the devil more than that he may save control of government and to have Christians neglect as unclean and impure the affairs of government. Some Christians are so busy thinking of heaven they have he time to give to city. State or nation. Such will spend all their time working for the future, failing to see that in order to accomplish their purpose this present world must be made clean and pure.

Every good citizen should avail himself of the opportunity so near at hand to use his vote, his time and his influence for the betterment of the politics of the city. What could we make out of our city if every officeholder was a Christian man? Richmond, as compared with other cities, is a well governed, well conducted city. It could be better and should be better. With its citizens shive to their opportunities and responsibilities, a verliable "New Jerusalem" would be seen.

Presbyterian Union Service.

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The Presbyterians of the city gathered in union service Sunday night at the Second Church the occasion being the celebration of the opening of the spiendid new publishing house for the South. The orator of the ovening was Professor. Aphones Smith, of North Caroline. Dr., Smith, cof a brilliant family and is shimed distinguished. He is an orator of great ability and als sermin orator of the church of the publication work was conducting. He referred to the past history of the Publishing Committee and predicted for it an even more glorious future. One of his strongest plans and predicted for it an even more glorious future. One of his strongest plans for a revision of the Sunday section. Heavel, the great of the sunday is the great of the

Will Have New Church.

At a congregational meeting held Sunday the East End Baptist Church dedecided to remove to another site. The encronchment of the negree population of the East End is the chief cause for the change. It is probable that a mass meeting will be held shortly for a decision with reference to the site and the time for rebuilding. A favorable location now being spaken of is at the southwest coner of Twenty-eighth and N Streets. The following deacons were ordained: W. W. Friddier, William Dearheart, Henry Dyson, B. W. Gathright, J. H. Filippin, J. S. Wright and John Hi Wright.

The congregations attending the Stockton Street Church of Manchester are too large for the building and additions to the church edilede will be necessary in the near future. The pastor is the Rev. Dr. Cridlin. Will Have New Church.

Revival Services.

Revival services are being held in several of the Beptist Churches. Dr. J. B. Huston of The Street, has beptited seventy-seven to date, and there are others a way to date, and there are others a way to date, and there are others a way to be seventy-seven the seventy-seven the seventy-seven the seventy-seven the seventy-seven the seventy-seven the seventy-seventy of April, at the Growthe-seventy-seven

At the Mission.

Services of unusual interest were held sunday afternoon at the Methodist Mission, Dast Main Street Mrs. J. Tylor Jobson gave a "Ribbon Taik" that was very interesting and entertaining to a large audience. Dr. Henley made a short temperance address. Capitain Frank Canningham and Miss Doza Milchell sang and Mr. Reginald Walkey presided at the plane. Superintendent Wiley and Mr. Parker both spoke briefly.

Church Notes.

Dr. and Ars. W. R. L. Smith were called to Lynchburg yesterday morning on account of a death in the family of Mrs. Smith.

The Dailey Guartette sang Sunday night at the Broad Street Methodist Church. Bishop R. A. Gibson Will visit St. Philip's Episcophi Church (colored) on Friday night and will present to the congregation, which its said to be made up of antaponistic elements.

The Hery J. M. Street of this city, has received a call to the Bapitis Church of West Norfolk.

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nearly all dried off, and in a mouth his face was perfectly clear, not a spot left. I have enclosed photograph of him when he was thirteen months old. He is now two years and four months, and has never had the slightest return of it. I am very grateful for the benefits derived from your remedles, and shall feel it a pleasure to make their value known. For corroboration of this statement you may refer any one to Mrs! Williams, 45 Michaels Road, Aldershot, to whom we recommended the remedles for a skin himour, which they also cured. You are at liberty to do what you like with this statement, as I should like all to know of the value of Cuticura." of the value of Cuticura.'

WILLIAM HERBERT QUIRK, No. 1 West End Cottages, Ruywood Road, N. Southampton.

The Rev. D. A. Solly read a paper yesterday morning before the Baptist Ministers Conference on the "Use and Conduct of Public Prayer."
Professor R. W. Moore, of Crezier Theological Seminary who occupies the chair of Germanic languages, is the guest of President Boatwright, of Richmond College.
The Rev. Dr. R. H. Pitt returned yesterday at noon from Smithfield where he took part in the service dedicating the Baptist Church Large congregations were present and a pleasant day was spent, The building is very handsome.

COMMENCEMENT ATLANTA COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

anta College of Pharmacy will be held at them have been issued, and secret of them have been received here. The president of the college is Judge Howard Van Epps. He dean of the faculty is Dr. Epps. The dean of the faculty is Dr. The class roll for 64 includes the names of Charles Simpson Turner, of Virginia, and James Luthen Love, of North Caro-

Charters Granted.

The following charters have been granted by the State Corporation Commission:
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OWING TO LACK OF WORK. Outdoor Poor List Was Very Heavy Last Winter.

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The list of those receiving aid from the city in the department of "outdoor poor" was very heavy last winter, owing to the searcity of work growing out of the shutting down of the Trigg Shipyards and reduction in the forces at other works.

Superintendent Davis distributed 4,000 loads of wood, \$4,000 worth of coal, 700 pairs of shoes, nearly 1,000 bushels of meal and a large quantity of flour during the past few months.

"More people have been out of employment this winter than I have known for many years," said Mr. Davis last night. "I have the names of over 1,000 people who have received wood, "coal, food and clothing from my department this year. I am glad that we were able to help them, because many of them were deserving, and would not have come to me if they had not been thrown out of work."

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